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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Col. 5, line 44, "image," should read --image--.

Col. 10, line 26, "And," should read --A--.

line 45, "consisting" should read --consisting of--.

Col. 11, line 41, "And," should read --A--.

line 55, "taken" should read --taking--.

Col. 12, line 8, "lines" should read --the lines--.

Col. 13, line 39, "And," should read --A--.

Col. 15, line 30, "last" should read --the last--.

line 34, "last" should read --the last--.

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